STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS25728

This legislation amends Section 390-1118, Idaho Code, BASIC DAY CARE LICENSE - IMMUNIZATION REQUIRED, and 39-4802, Idaho Code, EXEMPTIONS (from the school immunization requirement), to allow a parent (or guardian) to opt out his/her daycare- or school-attending child from the state immunization requirements by making a written statement to that effect in a signed letter submitted to daycare facility or school officials. This legislation states the signed statement does not have to be made on a form furnished by the State Board of Health and Welfare, a daycare facility, or another entity.

FISCAL NOTE

The negative impact on the general fund will be minimal. The only costs will be those ministerial expenses involved with making the change to Idaho Code, and possibly some record keeping costs generated by the opt-out procedure.

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